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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

GIRALDIN, ET AL.

Title:

CASHLESS SPENDING SYSTEM AND

**METHOD** 

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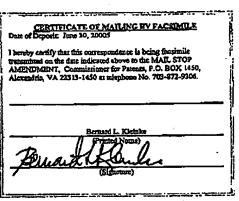
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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established.
- [X] No fee required.

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	18	20	-	0	X·	\$ 50.00	=	\$0.00
Independents:	6	6	=	0	×	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: + \$360.0						\$360.00	=	\$0.00
	•				S FEE	SUBTOTAL:	=	\$0.00
Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract 1/2 of above):							=	\$0.00
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CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:							=	\$0.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required either now or in the future regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to the Deposit Account No. 502635 of DUCKOR SPRADLING METZGER & WYNNE. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, postdated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to the Deposit Account No. 502635 of DUCKOR SPRADLING METZGER & WYNNE. If any charges or fees must be paid in connection with the foregoing, concurrent or future communication (including, but not limited to, the payment of an extension fee or Issue fees), or if any overpayment is to be refunded in connection with the above-identified application, any such charges or fees, or any such overpayment may be respectfully paid out of, or into, the Deposit Account No. 502635 of DUCKOR SPRADLING METZGER & WYNNE. If any such payment also requires a petition or extension request, please construe this authorization to pay as the necessary petition or request, which is required to accompany the payment.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 30, 2005

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